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SUBJECT: IRAQI BANK MOVES UP IN WORLD RANKING

1. RAFIDAIN BANK PRESIDENT ADNAN AL-TAYAR ANNOUNCED JULY 23 THAT HIS ORGANIZATION HAS NOW MOVED UP FROM WORLD'S 466TH WORLD'S 246TH LARGEST BANK--WITH ASSETS OF IRAQI DINARS 1.376 BILLION (4.7 BILLION DOLLARS).

2. RAFIDAIN BANK IS GOI-CONTROLLED (BECOMING MORE AND MORE AN ECHO OF THE CENTRAL BANK). ITS WILLINGNESS TO PLACE SHORT TO MEDIUM TERM DEPOSITS IN THE US IS CURRENTLY BEING PROBED BY A VISITING TEAM FROM SOLOMON BROTHERS IN NEW YORK.
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